

## Notice of Exemption

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**Project Title:** Curry Side Channel Project (Notification of Lake or Streambed Alteration, No. EPIMS-TRI-31246-R1I)

**Project Location (Trinity County):** Located on the Trinity River, tributary to the Klamath River; Section 12, Township 32 North, Range 10 West, MDB&M in the community of Douglas City; 40°38'48" N, 122°56'57" W; Assessor's Parcel Number 015-490-01.

**Project Description:** The California Department of Fish and Wildlife has executed Lake and Streambed Alteration Agreement EPIMS Notification No. EPIMS-TRI-31246-R1I, pursuant to Section 1602 of the Fish and Game Code to Amy Curry.

The project is limited to maintenance of existing side channels to assist in the conveyance of water to an existing seep well by removing excessive accumulated sediments to improve flow and provide habitat to juvenile fish.

**Public Agency Approving Project:** CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

**Person or Public Agency Carrying Out Project:** Amy Curry, landowner

**Exempt Status:**

Statutory Exemption.

Categorical Exemption. Type – Class 1; California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15301- Operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination.

**Reasons why project is exempt:** The project is limited to maintenance of existing side channels to assist in the conveyance of water to an existing seep well. The project will not result in significant adverse impacts on endangered, rare, or threatened species or their habitat pursuant to California Code of Regulations, title 14, section 15065. The project will have no significant effect on the environment.

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